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FOR WE - MR. BARBOUR

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (DEN UYL, J.M.)

SUBJ: DEN UYL VISIT

1. FONOFF DIRECTOR FOR WESTERN HEMISPHERE AFFAIRS COHEN
STUART HAS PROVIDED EMBASSY FOLLOWING INFORMATION RE TRAVEL
ARRANGEMENTS AND SUBSTANTIVE DISCUSSIONS IN CONNECTION
WITH DEN UYL VISIT.

2. TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS: PRIMIN DEN UYL ACCOMPANIED
BY MRS. DEN UYL, FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE ADVISOR
MERCKELBACH AND STATE INFORMATION SERVICE DIRECTOR
VAN DER WIEL WILL LEAVE OTTAWA AT 1800 TUESDAY, MAY 13,
ABOARD CANADIAN GOVERNMENT AIRCRAFT, ARRIVING AT AN
AIRPORT IN THE WASHINGTON AREA AT APPROXIMATELY.
FONMIN VAN DER STOEL (WHO WILL HAVE RETURNED ON MAY 11
FROM FOUR-DAY VISIT TO CAIRO) WILL LEAVE AMSTERDAM
MAY 13 ABOARD KLM-641, ARRIVING JFK AT 1615. HE WILL
TAKE NA-403 FOR WASHINGTON, ARRIVING AT NATIONAL AIRPORT
AT 1900. FONOFF POLITICAL DIRECTOR RUTTEN MAY ACCOMPANY
VAN DER STOEL OR MAY FLY DIRECTLY TO WASHINGTON FROM
DUBLIN IN CASE OF AN EC-9 POLITICAL DIRECTORS MEETING
THERE JUST BEFORE WASHINGTON VISIT. DEN UYL AND
MERCKELBACH ARE SCHEDULED TO LEAVE WASHINGTON MAY 15
AT 1100 ABOARD AA-663 FOR PARAMARIBO VIA SAN JUAN WHERE
DEN UYL WILL SPEND ABOUT THREE HOURS SIGHTSEEING IN THE
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COMPANY OF THE DUTCH HONORARY CONSUL THERE. MRS. DEN UYL
ACCOMPANIED BY VAN DER WIEL WILL LEAVE WASHINGTON AT
1659 ON MAY 15 ON NA-028 FOR NEW YORK, WHENCE THEY
LEAVE FOR AMSTERDAM AT 1916 ABOARD KLM-642. MRS. DEN UYL

HAS MADE IT CLEAR TO FONOFF THAT SHE DOES NOT RPT NOT WISH UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES TO BE INCLUDED IN ANY OF THE OFFICIAL ACTIVITIES IN WASHINGTON, INCLUDING LUNCHEONS AND DINNERS. SHE WILL BE "A TOURIST IN THE HANDS OF THE NETHERLANDS EMBASSY."

3. AS REPORTED THE HAGUE 1983 VAN DER STOEL AND RUTTEN WILL REMAIN IN WASHINGTON FOR ADDITIONAL MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES ON MAY 16, WITH VAN DER STOEL LEAVING THAT EVENING TO RETURN TO THE NETHERLANDS. WE INFORMED COHEN STUART OF VAN DER STOEL'S INTEREST IN CALLING ON SECRETARY SCHLESINGER (AMBASSADOR IS MESSAGING SECRETARY SCHLESINGER REQUESTING APPOINTMENT) AND MEETING WITH CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS (THROUGH MRS. FRASER, WHO IN THE HAGUE RECENTLY, AMBASSADOR HAS ASKED CONGRESSMAN FRASER TO ARRANGE HOSPITALITY FOR VAN DER STOEL WITH MEMBERS OF HOUSE COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS; LIKEWISE SENATOR MATHIAS, AT REQUEST OF AMBASSADOR, HAS AGREED TO ARRANGE CONTACT WITH APPROPRIATE COLLEAGUES IN THE SENATE) AND ASKED COHEN STUART TO ASCERTAIN WHAT EVENTS AMBASSADOR TAMMENOMS BAKKER IS PLANNING OR WOULD LIKE TO PROPOSE TO VAN DER STOEL.

4. OFFICIAL DISCUSSIONS: COHEN STUART GAVE US APPROVED LIST OF DISCUSSION TOPICS WHICH HAS BEEN TRANSMITTED TO NETHERLANDS EMBASSY AND WHICH CLOSELY RESEMBLES LIST TRANSMITTED IN THE HAGUE 1752. FONOFF SUGGESTS FOUR MAJOR TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION WITH THE PRESIDENT: ENERGY AND RAW MATERIALS, PROJECTED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENTS, NATO AND ATTITUDES OF EUROPEANS IN GENERAL AND OF EUROPEAN SOCIALIST PARTIES TOWARD THE U.S. SUGGESTED FOR DISCUSSION WITH THE SECRETARY ARE MONETARY PROBLEMS, THE MIDDLE EAST, DEVELOPMENTS IN THE UN AND DETENTE (COVERING MBFR, CSCE AND SALT). SUB-TOPICS FURNISHED BY FONOFF REFLECT A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF EDITING AND PRUNING BUT APART FROM THAT ARE IDENTICAL WITH OR SIMILAR TO THOSE GIVEN IN THE HAGUE 1752. DEN UYL WANTS TO KEEP DISCUSSIONS CONFIDENTIAL

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FLEXIBLE BUT WILL BE PREPARED DISCUSS ALL OF ABOVE SUBJECTS.

5. WHILE FONOFF LIST OMITTS THE KLM PROBLEM, WE ASSUME THAT IT WILL BE BROUGHT UP AT SOME STAGE BY THE DUTCH SIDE IF THERE HAS NOT BEEN A SETTLEMENT IN THE MEANTIME. FONOFF LIST ALSO OMITTS SURINAM, INDICATIVE PROBABLY OF LESSER DEGREE OF ITS INVOLVEMENT AND RESPONSIBILITY PRIOR TO INDEPENDENCE AS COMPARED TO OFFICES OF PRIME MINISTER AND INTERIOR MINISTRY. HOWEVER, WE BELIEVE IT WOULD BE IN US INTEREST FOR US TO INITIATE AT LEAST A BRIEF DISCUSSION OF SURINAM POST-INDEPENDENCE IF THE DUTCH SIDE DOES NOT DO SO, AND THIS RECOMMENDATION WILL BE INCORPORATED IN SCOPE PAPER FOR DEN UYL VISIT WHICH

EMBASSY HAS UNDER PREPARATION.

6. RE DEN UYL'S STOPOVER IN SAN JUAN, RECOMMEND THAT
HE BE MET AND OFFERED APPROPRIATE COURTESIES BY
GOVERNOR OF PUERTO RICO OR AN APPROPRIATE DESIGNATED SENIOR
REPRESENTATIVE.
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